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CLAIMS

1. An eye-imaging device comprising:

an imager capable of switching over between a telephoto mode to
5 take a subject person's eye-images and a wide-angle mode to take the
subject person's facial images, keeping a certain distance to the subject
person's eye;

a display to display images taken by the wide-angle mode;
a guide checker to check automatically that the subject person's eye
10 has been guided to a predetermined position according to the image taken
by the wide-angle mode;

and

a selector to switch over the imager automatically from the
wide-angle mode to the telephoto mode when the guide checker checks that
15 the subject person's eye has been guided to the predetermined position.

2. The eye-imaging device of claim 1, wherein

the imager has a telephoto lens and a wide-angle lens, and
the selector is a lens selector to switch over between the telephoto
20 mode and the wide-angle mode by switching over between the telephoto lens
and the wide-angle lens.

3. The eye-imaging device of claim 1, wherein

the imager has a zoom lens, and
25 the selector is a zoom lens driver to switch over between the telephoto
mode and the wide-angle mode by driving the zoom lens.

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4. The eye-imaging device of claim 1, wherein
the imager has a telephoto camera and a wide-angle camera, and
the selector is a camera selector to switch over between the telephoto
mode and the wide-angle mode by switching over between the telephoto
5 camera and the wide-angle camera.
5. A portable terminal device having the eye-imaging device of one of
claim 1 to 4.

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